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Sir:

Applicants in the above-identified patent application hereby reaffirm their claim to the right of priority granted pursuant to 35 USC §119 based upon Great Britain Application No. 9602174.6, filed February 2, 1996; and Great Britain Application No. 9618836.2, filed September 10, 1996.

Certified copies of the above Great Britain applications can be found in the parent application, U.S. application Serial No. 08/792,415. Applicants respectfully request that the certified copies of the foreign priority applications be made of record in the subject application pursuant to MPEP 201.14(b).

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